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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

Art Unit: 1615

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Examiner: Susan T. Tran

**APPLICATION NO: 09/848,448** 

FILED: MAY 3, 2001

FOR: HIGH DRUG LOAD ACID LABILE PHARMACEUTICAL

COMPOSITION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 8, 2002, please amend the above-identified application to read as follows.

In the Claims:

Please cancel Claims 2, 3, 25 and 26.

Please amend Claims 1, 5, 27 and 28 to read as follows.

-- 1. (Amended) A spheronized beadlet comprising:

(a) about 80% to about 100%/by weight of an acid labile medicament which is

2',3'-dideoxyinosine (ddl);

(b) about 0% to about 10% by weight of a disintegrant; and